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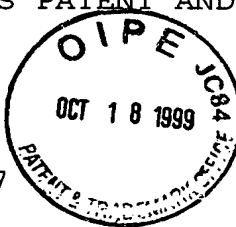
In re Application of

Robert W. HUDELSON et al

Application No: 09/394,747

Filed: September 13, 1999

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR EMBEDDING
DIGITAL AUDIO DATA IN A SERIAL
DIGITAL VIDEO DATA STREAM



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Sir:

In reply to the Notice mailed September 30, 1999, a Declaration signed by the inventor(s), identifying the application by the names of the inventors and the filing date, is submitted herewith, together with a copy of the Notice and a check for the surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e).

Applicant claims small entity status with respect to this application, and a verified statement in support of the claim for small entity status has been filed at the Patent and Trademark Office. In the circumstances, the fee under 37 CFR 1.16(e) is being paid at the rate for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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